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Dick Rowlett, vice president of the student body; Hike Abdella, president of the student body; Leonard Silver, president of the IFC, and Barbara Luhring, president of Women's Student Cooperative Government Association, participating in a panel discussion on student affairs during the student body meeting, held Thursday afternoon in Blow Gymnasium.

Ground-Breaking Marks Preliminaries For Phi Beta Kappa Building At W&M

By Bli Nunn

A contract signed by the College with contractors Corde and Starke on February 2, marked the preliminaries for the groundbreaking of the new Phi Beta Kappa Building.

The new structure will replace the former one ravaged by fire during the Christmas holiday of 1953. The plan states that the new auditorium will be open for tects. use by March 1, 1957.

Hugh H. Sission, Jr., bursar of the College, stated that the estimate for the total expense of the project is \$1,381,000, the General Contractors' bid being \$1,237,000. Financial coverage of the project is being provided by personal contribution, the fire insurance from loan from the Virginia Supplemental Retirement System.

Magazine Report

The May, 1954 issue of the Key Kappa News Magazine, discussed cil will hold an orientation meet- "Tradition Will Be Heard"

ODK To Hold Forum To Develop Abilities

Student officers in campus organizations will have a chance to develop their leadership abilities at the Omicron Delta Kappa Wednesday and acceptance day Forum on February 29.

Dr. Warner Moss, Jr., head of the department of government, will give a talk entitled, The Gain and Loss of Power. Dr. Moss' topic will develop around his ideas on how people obtain power and their attitude toward power after they are in office.

Campus Wide Program

The forum will be a campuswide program consisting of three sessions for officers of campus organizations. Practical politics will be stressed in the presidents' session, while the discussions for secretaries and treasurers will explain these officers' duties and demonstrate the most efficient manner of carrying them out.

Any organization desiring its officers to attend the Leadership Forum should contact Henry Kap-lan, ODK vice president, at the Pi for each organization represented will be required.

the new building; ". . . The new | be equipped with the most effic-Phi Beta Kappa Hall will be used for Phi Beta Kappa functions, as' well as for convocations, concerts, plays, lectures and exhibits.

Roger Sherman, associate professor of fine arts, is the College's representative to the technical architectural staff. His work consists of coordinating the purposes and specifications of the College with the planning of the archi-

The essential feature of the new Phi Beta Kappa Hall will be the auditorium which will seat 800 with facility for 300 in the stage area when needed. The stage will

Pan-Hellenic Council the 1953 loss, State aid, and a To Hold Pre-Rushing **Meeting For Women**

As a preliminary to informal Reporter, the national Phi Beta rushing, the Pan-Hellenic Counthe significance and purposes of Washington 200, for all women students planning to rush.

Approximately 50 girls will participate in rush week which will begin Sunday and will end Thursday, March 1. Rush parties will be held from 3 to 5 p. m., and Monday and Tuesday from 4 to 6 p. m. Silence day will be will be Thursday at 4 p. m.

Rush Parties

Invitations for rush parties will be delivered each day by the individual sororities. The Council requests that rushees use the Pan-Hellenic RSVP boxes located in the lobby of Jefferson dormitory. Replies must be made between 12 and 2 p. m. Sunday, and 12 and 3 p. m. Monday and Tuesday. Rushees will sign preferential lists Wednesday between 12:30 and 2:30 p. m. in Jefferson.

Open association will continue until Saturday night at 12 p. m. Closed association will then be in effect for the duration of rush week. Silence day will begin Tuesday, February 28 at 11 p. m. and will end Thursday, March 1, itself."

at 4 p. m. In another development, Phebe Hoff, president of the Pan-Hellen-Lambda Phi lodge. A fee of \$3 ic Council noted the appointment of Mrs. James Ober as advisor to the William and Mary Council. tion. Kirk feels that no tradition

ient technical developments in theatres, and the entire building is to be air-conditioned.

Opening from large doors on the stage will be a scenery shop with provisions for props, lighting, painting and extensive electrical equipment. Stage equipment will be rolled through the stage doors for quick scenery changes after being prepared in

Other facilitating features of the stage area will include ample dressing room space, a costume room, a sewing room, lavatories, loading facilities opening into the shop, and a piano storage room. The orchestra space will be a mechanical lift which can be raised to provide additional stage area, lowered as a conventional orchestra pit with an understage entrance or leveled with the au-

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Career Day Ends Series Of Programs At College

By Sharon Garrison

Career Day today ended a week of student government sponsored programs including a jazz concert Sunday, a dance Saturday and a general meeting of students with the student leaders Thursday.

Two hundred students at the general meeting of the student government Thursday heard student body president, Hike Abdella review the accomplishments of the student government this year and report on student government activities.

In a review of the student social regulations as set forth by the Board of Visitors' chaperonage policy last spring, Abdella revealed that student leaders have requested the College administration to ex-

tend peer chaperonage from 6 to 8 p. m., and to allow one chaperone to serve three fraternity lodges simultaneously.

I received an urgent request from a very powerful man in Virginia politics who wished to talk to me, impliedly about student grievances. We held a very lengthy marked the life of a noted lecturer discussion in which every grie- who will visit the College on Frivance made by students last year day. Louis F. Budenz, a former was completely aired. Further- communist and one-time editor of more promises were made to me the Daily Worker, will present a which would have greatly aided talk entitled Communism and Rethe recovery of the College from ligion Friday at 4 p. m. in Washthe situation of last year. The ington 200. A professor of econgentleman stipulated that he felt omics at Fordham University, the purpose of the student gov- Budenz provided information ernment this year should be to try our utmost to work with the ad- eral local organizations of the ministration and to control the ac- Communist party in the United tions of the student body." Ab- States. della added, however, that no word has been heard from the man for three months.

In a panel discussion following Abdella's report a panel of student leaders answered student questions from the floor on student government business, and general student problems. Barbara Luhring, president of the executive council of the Women's Student Cooperative Government, Leonard Silver, president of the Interfraternity Council, Dick Rowlett, vice president of the student government and Tom Rink, president of the senior class, made up the panel.

The general meeting introduced student government week, a program which, according to Abdella, was planned "to promote more interest in the student government; to increase school spirit by including the vocational, academic and social aspects of the college life; and to expand the career day program to include more fields.'

Students today attended discus-(Continued on Page 11)

Once A Communist, Abdella reported, "In October, Budenz To Give Talk To Students Friday

The repudiation of communism which led to the exposing of sev-

Strike Organizer

Raised as a Catholic, Budenz became publicity director of the American Civil Liberties Union in 1920, and from 1927 to 1934 served as organizer for special situations in the unions of the American Federation of Labor. During the late twenties and early thirties he led strikes in Kenosha, Wisconsin; Nazareth, Pennsylvania, and against Patterson Silk and the Toledo Auto Line. He was tried and acquitted 21 times in labor disputes.

From 1935 to 1937 Budenz worked as labor editor of the Daily Worker and in 1940 became president and managing editor of the publication, holding these positions until 1945.

Budenz, now a Roman Catholic is widely known as an author. His book, This is My Story, was published in 1946, while Men Without Faces appeared in 1950.

The lecture on Friday will be followed by a question and answer

To Discard Or To Treasure Tradition; Conservative Thinker Kirk: 'Treasure'

By James LeFon

"To many men," wrote Gabriel Marcel, "the weight of tradition is onerous," but to Russel Kirk, America's leading conservative thinker, tradition is a thing to be treasured.

Speaking Friday at the opening of the Marshall-Wythe Symposium, Kirk, in a speech entitled America's Political Tradition, defined political conservation as a philosophical system based on a series of continuing traditions. "Traditions will be heard," he remarked, "even though a social catastrophe may be required for its hearing." Kirk emphasized the importance of tradition as a modifying and unifying factor in civilization. "No civilization," he explained, "has ever been able to throw off tradition and remain

Discussing specifically the nature of American political ideas, the author of The Conservative Mind, demonstrated his belief in the historical continuity of tradi-

solely in one country. "Tradition," he says, "is by definition the common property of the people." On this basis he noted that America cannot claim to be the origin of most of its political tra-

Even Robinson Crusoe on his island had a Bible and a background of civilized life. Just as America inherited a long line of political tradition extending back through England to Job and Plato and beyond. In this manner Kirk clarified the fact that America received most of its traditions from the old world, where tradition had taken on a universal na-

"Tradition has a greater power

Tryouts

Tryouts for positions on all staffs of the FLAT HAT will be held tomorrow evening at 6:30 p. m. in Marshall-Wythe

can be said to have originated in America than many Americans like to confess." With this statement Kirk demonstrated that all Americans have a basic affection for the fundamental traditions of our society. He named the elementary principles of spiritual order, political self-government, individual rights and the value of the family and marriage. These elements according to Kirk, form themselves into the two fundamental traditions derived from the Christian religion and from the territorial democracy of local government.

> The speaker pointed out that the whole body of assumption underlying American life is predominantly Christian. "The fact that the Christian tradition is often flouted does not mean that it has ceased to exist," he said. In fact, he explained that the fundamental tradition in America is actually a global Christian tra-

As for territorial democracy, Kirk demonstrated that American (Continued on Page 6)

Assuming Responsibility

With the conclusion of Career Day, Student Government Week came to an end. But this was more than just another name week or week end at William and Mary. It was a definite effort by the Student Government to be of more service to the students whom it serves, and hence become a stronger and more effective organization. The whole tone of the week, keynoted by a progress report to the students, by Student Body President Hike Abdella, was one of a responsible, mature Student Government, doing their utmost to serve the students.

Behind the leadership of Abdella, the Student Government has been trying to emerge as a responsible organization of which the students can be proud. The present Student Government was born in an air of strife and bitterness. Rather than fan the flames of discontent, they tried to establish the foundation for a means of cooperation between the students and the administration.

Abdella began the meeting Thursday by stating, "What I want to talk to you about is just to discuss what we, the Student Government have been doing since we took office on May 5, 1955, at probably the most difficult time and tumultuous time possible. You might call this, 'A Report To The Student Body,' because that's what it actually is." And he did just that, in sober honest terms, and pulling no punches.

He did not try to minimize, or maximize the problems that faced the efforts of the Student Government. Yet some students did not want an honest picture. Some wanted fire and brimstone speeches; others preferred pictures of roses and

On the question of spirit, the students were divided as to why it was low at William and Mary. Half blamed the administration, and half blamed the Student Government. None blamed themselves. Yet, when the Student Government presented a four-branched week for the students, the majority of the students turned their backs on the Student Government. Approximately 300 people attended the meeting Thursday, and about 450 people were at both the dance and the concert. William and Mary has an enrollment of over 1,600.

According to Abdella, the Student Government lost about 400 dollars on the entire week. They acquired this debt by trying to assume responsibility. But in order to have a responsible, strong Student Government, which should be the goal of every school, there must also be a responsible active student body. This past week, when given an opportunity to show both of these characteristics, they showed neither. The students have no one to blame for the lack of spirit except themselves. The Student Government and the Administration cooperated fully to make the week a smashing success, which would become a yearly affair. But neither the smashing nor the success materialized. There is only one other lap into which the blame can be placed. It is the lap of the students.

The Student Government has brought about a stronger basis for student-administration cooperation. They have built from the bottom, and now they have constructed a base for future student governments to come. Whether or not this cooperation ever materializes to great extent is not certain, but without a responsible student body it never

The Cardinal Sin

In last week's editorial, Airstrip Time Down South, we committed the cardinal sin of journalism. This sin was not expressing an opinion that was contrary to the views of a higher authority. The inexcusable error that we made was not checking every fact before writing an editorial, and as a result, we made a factual error. We inferred that the money which was appropriated to improve the airfield was to come from college funds. This was in no way correct.

The funds come from the State Corporation Commission, not from school funds, and not from the general fund of the State treasury. The Civil Air Patrol, which is a branch of the Corporation Commission, collects money from state taxes on aviation gasoline used in intrastate commerce, and fees for licensing or registration of airmen, aircraft

According to state law, this money cannot be used for any purpose other than aeronautic improvement in the public interest.

In other words, the money, which the college received was for the specific purpose of improving the airfield, and could have been used for no other purpose. If William and Mary had not received the money, it would have gone to another community airfield.

The improvement of the airstrip will enable larger planes to use the airfield, and hence will enable the college to receive more revenue from the firm which leases the field from the college.

We were wrong, and we apologize for any trouble which our editorial has caused. H. N. Z.



RESPONSIBILITY

Letters To The Editor

To the Editor:

to do more than simply appease ial content of their letter. feelings and shake heads in dis-

and willing to accept constructive rubbish - especially when it is criticism. That is why he is at- enclosed in the first issue of the icism and insult.

lege in a letter to the editor are pertinence, be printed in a relathe epitome of the disgruntled tively rational organ of this type? Westbrook Pegler who can find the College and must vent their vited to go elsewhere. ire on the whole student body. True, as has been mentioned, our paper is not the best; there are Finds Technical Error many technical and literary errings within it which could stand cor- To the Editor: rection. But the paper is a studferently.

(they cannot be called arguments) the Tidewater area. which are to prove that William On the final page of "Selected Hooker. The writer also hap- by 1918. , pens to admire the Richmond bas-

ketball coach. Apparently Mr. Zebine does not.

Nevertheless, the three officers Many are the times when the (the term used only to animate undersigned has picked up an is- and inflate the egoes of three most sue of The Flat Hat and been lit- unfortunate soldiers) deem it necerally appalled at the sophomoric essary to attack the Flat Hat, the attempts of some students to ex- student body, and the whole colpress their views on current lege simply because they like Mr. events, etc . . . But when such Hooker and/or dislike our co-eds, material is written by outsiders whatever the case may be. We who have no true interest in the can find no other reasons since College or its students, it is time they are not expressed in the triv-

Mr. Zebine, being of sound mind, must be commended for This writer is at all times ready having the fortitude to print such tending a college. But there is a paper, published under his direcworld of difference between crit- tion. But, also because he is of sound mind, he must be criticized: The three visitors who recently How could such a malicious letexpressed their views of the Col- ter, completely without balance or

The undersigned would advise no pertinent reason as to why any- the three mud-slingers to take the thing has any real value. The advice which the Board of Visiwriter cannot help but feel sorry tors sent to all students before the for them. They apparently have commencement of the September met with some perplexing cir- semester; that is, if not satisfied cumstances in their relations with with the situation, they are in-

Michael D. Alembik

In your article about the late ent voice, and improvements Honorable Schuyler Otis Bland in should come from the students, the Flat Hat, February 14, you These representatives of the U.S. state that representative Bland en-Army seem to view the case dif- tered Congress in 1918 with a background of 46 years of ex-Their derogatory statements perience with maritime people in

and Mary belongs "in the sandlot Additions to the College Library", league" are very unconvincing. It January, 1956 it is stated that seems that these soldiers are con- Representative Bland was born demning the College to see their on May 4, 1872. He would thus names in print or possibly because have started work soon after birth they are avid fans of a said Les to attain this much experience

J. B. Herring

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Truth Must Be First

By Patrick Riley

What is a Communist? One who hath yearnings For equal division of unequal earnings. Idler or bungler, or both, he is willing, To fork out his copper and pocket your shilling. Ebenezer Elliot

I'd rather smell a burning book than read distorted one. I'd rather that my friends should know but a little truth than much which is false In other words, I believe that until a sound know. ledge of the truth is taught, falsity should be with.

Those who contend that Red books should be allowed on the shelves of the average American college library certainly do not do so in order to see false ideas contaminate the reader. Rather they believe in the ability of the average reader to be discerning enough to spot and reject any distortions of truth which might occur. It is on this point that I disagree.

Before a man is asked to be judge at a boxing match, he has to know certain fundamental concepts of the pugilistic world. Likewise before a man is allowed to be a judge in a court of law, he must first be taught the laws and the interpretations of them. It would seem logical, therefore, to say that before one is capable of detecting dis-tortions or capable of weighing advantages, one must first have a basic idea of the subject matter

If this be true, the next question that arises is whether or not the average college student has enough knowledge of the fundamental concepts of our own system to be able to accurately judge the value of Communistic interpretations of our system. In order to answer this, one would next look at the qualifications for admittance to our colleges. Using William and Mary as an example, all a student has to do is be born White, male or female, and manage to graduate in the upper one half of the graduating class at any Virginia high school. Oddly enough there is no qualification requiring that the student have any knowledge of the American government or the American governmental philosophy. Thus it would be sheer folly for them to be supposedly capable of detecting distortions of that system and philosophy which might appear in Communist

This does not mean that Communism can not be taught in schools. This does not prohibit the reading of Communist literature. All that is asked is that before the student is subjected to Communistic distortions, he must first be grounded in American truth.

We are now engaged in an ideological war with the malignant, atheistic, materialistic forces of Communism. All that we need to win is the as-surance that our youth be given the truth before being subjected to the ludicrous distortions of the Communistic misanthropes. Since all students entering college do not have a fundamental knowledge of our system, Communistic books should be kept from them until they have a true picture our system, its economics, its philosophy, its politics, and even its dilemmas. After they have such a picture I feel sure that they will remain loyal in face of any Communistic objection.

Communism thrives, as do all such pseudo logical absurdities ,on half truths. Let our youth first be taught the whole truth and then the half truths of Communism can be no more than the babblings of degenerate radicals. BUT FIRST OUR YOUTH MUST BE TAUGHT THE WHOLE

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W&M Debate Team Enters 16 Campus Co-eds W&M Theatre To Present

Donald L. McConkey

lege, New York.

William and Mary's debate team which recently played host to 27 eastern colleges in the debate tournament here, will become a guest as several of its members attend the Florida State Forensic Meet on Friday and Saturday.

Four members of the team will take part in the meet. Speaking for the affirmative side will be Al Moses and Jim Mounie, while John Jensen and Pat Riley will defend the negative viewpoint.

In addition, the debate team took to the airwaves last Saturday on WRVA radio in Richmond for a rebroadcast of the costume debate held at the Capitol building as part of the annual Marshall-Wythe debate tournament February 10. Participants in the reenactment of the legislative debates over the 1765 Stamp Act were Guerry Gilmore, James Mounie, Steven Oaks, Pat Riley and David Roller.

This program was one in a series of four which will be broadcast for the next three Saturdays and which are sponsored by the William and Mary Intercollegiate Debate Council. Next week the debate will be between William and Mary and Ohio State Univer-

Round Table Discussions

The following week the financand Mary debaters and two ath- Kappa Alpha meet. letes from the College. A discussion of United Nations reorganization will highlight the final pro-

Donald L. McConkey, director of forensics noted that the debate schedule this semester will be an active one, with the team participating in a number of tournaments and national meets. William and Mary debaters will soon travel to Morgantown, West Virginia for the North-South Tournament, and to the National Invitational in Notre Dame, Indiana, where the best American college teams will compete.

The debaters will again face top college talent as they compete

Organizations Elect Officers; Entertain **Visitors At Parties**

The pledge class of Delta Delta Delta recently entertained its big sisters at a Valentine Party.

Gamma Beta Phi held a breakfast for the chapter on Sunday. The sorority is entertaining members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon at the lodge Friday.

Members of Kappa Delta recently held a pledge-active buffet supper at the house.

A recent visitor to the Phi Mu house was Marya Bednerick, '57, Bennington College.

The Providence President of Pi Beta Phi is now visiting the chap-

Kappa Sigma pledges recently gave a party for Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Newly elected officers are Tom Luter, grand master; Al Roberts, grand procurator; Chuck Dix, grand master of ceremonies; John Sudimack, secretary, and Dick Sanders, treasurer.

Bill Martin, '53; Dick Shively, '57 University of Virginia, and Adrian Thompson visited Sigma Pi lodge last weekend.

Lambda Chi Alpha's newly elected officers are Hunter Benedict, president; John Brantley, vicepresident; Ron Clarn, secretary, and Gil Granger, treasurer.

Recent visitors to the Phi Kap-Pa Tau lodge were Don Berryman, '54, and his wife Pattie Perkins Berryman, '55.

Jim Surrant, '55, and Bill Wray '55 visited the Pi Kappa Alpha lodge last weekend.

Newly elected officers of Theta Delta Chi fraternity are Terry Slaughter, president; Bill Mitchell corresponding secretary; Roger Schauf, recording secretary, and Phil Pastore, treasurer.

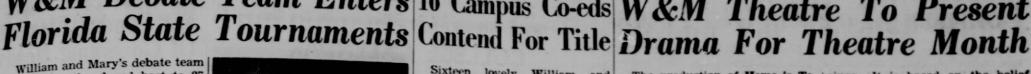
election sponsored by the Varsity Month.

Voting for queen, by the penny continue until Saturday. A canister for each candidate has been studet may cast as many votes as

Dormitories and sororities have Judy Carling, Ludwell 306-400; Margo Clark, Ludwell 402-404; Helen English, Alpha Chi Omega; Karen Jacob, Chandler Hall; Natalie Lane; Gamma Phi Beta; and Alice Matthews, Kappa Kappa

Additional nominees are Joan in the District 7 West Point Elim-Ray, Barrett Hall; Nancy Shonikinations at the University of Virginia. The next two tournaments Jefferson Hall; Barbara Thiele, will take members of the team to Phi Mu; Jane Thompson, Kappa New York, as they debate in the Alpha Theta; Terry Walker, Del-National Tau Kappa Alpha meet ta Delta Delta; Joan Waller, in New York City and in the Brown Hall; and Margo Wood, Chi Easter Forensics at Hamilton Col- Omega.

All of the candidates will be in- social affiliate. The team's record this year has troduced during intermission at been a successful one. During the William and Mary-Davidson the first semester, the William and College basketball game on Fri-Saturday night.



Sixteen lovely William and The production of Home is To- since. It is based on the belief Mary coeds are vying, this week, morrow on March 7 and 8 is the that the theatre has a tremendous for the honor of being named William and Mary Theatre's con-College Basketball Queen in an tribution to International Theatre

A world-wide movement undertaken each year in March, Intersystem, began Monday and will national Theatre Month is sponsored in the United States by the American National Theatre and placed on College Corner and each Academy, and the United States National Commission for United he wishes. A penny equals one Nations Educational, Social and Cultural Organization.

International Theatre Month nominated the following girls for was first started as a unique exqueen: Julie Bleick, Pi Beta Phi; periment in 1950, and the project has become widespread ever

Sally Ingersoll, Ludwell 302—304; Clubs Hold Meetings

Red Cross Club

Two short films on the Red Cross work in disaster areas will be shown at the meeting tonight at 8 p. m. in Washington 200.

Theta Alpha Phi

Elaine Pratt's name was acweek's Flat Hat list of new Theta presentation, has said of Interna-Alpha Phi members. The group tional Theatre Month: "The theahas recognized Henry Woolf as a

Political Science Club

There will be a meeting Thursing of college athletics will be the Mary speakers won first place in day night. The coronation will day, February 23, at 8 p. m. in topic of a roundtable discussion the forensics at South Carolina take place between halves of the Barrett East living room. Dr. which will feature two William and in the Virginia Regional Tau University of Richmond game on Ira E. Reiss will speak on "white Collar Crinle."

role to play as a means toward international understanding, for it lifts the audience into participation and through participation to comprehension of world prob-

The William and Mary Theatre has co-operated and contributed to International Theatre Month since its founding in 1950. For the past five years, the theatre has presented plays ranging from No More Peace by Ernest Toller in 1950, to The Winslow Boy by Terence Rattigan in 1955. The 1956 production, Home is Tomorrow, expresses the hope that tomorrow circumstances will improve, and that we shall attain security in the future.

Many important and wellknown theatrical figures actively support International Theatre Month including Helen Hayes, Christopher Fry, and Laurence Olivier, J. B. Priestley, the author cidentally omitted from last of the coming William and Mary tre is particularly important in the field of international understanding. It is the dramatist and his actors who give us a really intimate, truthful picture of their people. A well written and finely acted play can do more than 50 speeches by well-meaning politicians."





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Company To Film Old Town

An imaginative new motion picture on the role that Williamsburg this local production since restorplayed in American history will be filmed and screened here in May.

The production will be directed by George Seaton and filmed here by a crew from Paramont studios of Hollywood. The documentary will recreate the atmosphere in which important American concepts were founded and interpret the tension-packed years in Virginia prior to the Revolutionary

No sets will be constructed for ed Williamsburg provides sets that no motion picture studio could build. Professional actors will be used for major roles in the films, but extensive use will be made of scores of Williamsburg people who are costumed each day for their real-life roles as interpreters of the 18th century scene.

The purpose of the film is to make more meaningful the tours through this restored city.

WEDNESDAY, February 22

Holy Communion—Chapel; 7:25-8 a. m. Dr. Warner Moss—Meeting—The Brafferton; 3-5 p. m. Gamma Phi Beta Initiation—House; 6-9 p. m. Vespers—Chapel; 6:30-7 p. m.
Accounting Club Banquet—Wigwam; 6:30-7:30 p. m.
Kappa Kappa Gamma Initiation—House; 6:30-11 p. m.
B.S.U. Meeting—Baptist Church; 6:30-7:30 p. m.
Phi Alpha Delta Meeting—Bryan A; 7-10 p. m. Debate Council Meeting—Wren 301; 7-8 p. m. Lecture: "What's Right with Romantic Music" Prof. James Hall, Apollo; 8 p. m.

— From February 22 To February 28 On The —

COLLEGE CALENDAR

THURSDAY, February 23

Morning Prayer—Chapel; 7:35-8 a. m.
General Co-Op Meeting—Chapman House; 4 p. m.
Royalist Meeting—Marshall Wythe; 4 p. m.
Judicial Council Meeting—Wren 100; 5-6 p. m.
Kappa Kappa Gamma Initiation—House; 6-11 p. m.
Christian Science Meeting—Dodge Room; 6-15-7 p. m.
Women Sponsors Meeting—Washington 300; 7-9 p. m.
Pan Hellenic Meeting (for Rushees)—Washington 200; 7-9 p. m.
Political Science Club Meeting—Barrett East; 7-10 p. m.
Political Comicron Recention—Apollo Room; 8-10 p. m. Delta Omicron Reception—Apollo Room; 8-10 p. m.

FRIDAY, February 24

Morning Prayer—Chapel; 7:35-8 a. m.
Student Religious Union Lecture (Louis F. Budenz, Fordham University)—Washington 200; 4-6 p. m.
Gamma Phi Beta Tea—House; 4-6 p. m.
Balfour-Hillel Service—Chapel; 6:30-7:30 p. m.
Wesley Foundation Coffee—Methodist Church; 7-8 p. m.
Wesley Foundation Coffee—Methodist Church; 7-8 p. m. Lambda Chi Alpha Open House—Lodge; 7-10 p. m. W&M ve. Davidson Basketball—Williamsburg.

SATURDAY, February 25

Morning Prayer—Chapel; 7:35-8 a. m. Phi Kappa Tau—Kappa Alpha Reception—Phi Tau Lodge;

4-6 p. m.

W&M vs Richmond Basketball—Williamsburg.

Varsity Club Dance (Basketball Queen)—Gym; 10-12 midnight

SUNDAY, February 26

Pi Beta Phi Initiation—House; 9-12 noon Pi Beta Phi Initiation—House; 1-5 p. m. Pi Beta Phi Initiation—House; 1-5 p. m.
Pan Hellenic Rushing—Houses; 3-5 p. m.
Wesley Foundation Meeting—Methodist Church; 5-7 p. m.
Baptist Student Union Supper Meeting—Baptist Church; 5-7 p. m.
Canterbury Club Supper—Bruton Parish House; 6 p. m.
Newman Club Meeting—Dodge Room; 6:30-8:30 p. m.
Balfour-Hillel Meeting—Apollo Room; 7-10 p. m.

MONDAY, February 27
Morning Prayer—Chapel; 7:35-8 a. m.
Pan-Hellenic Rushing—Houses; 4-6 p. m.
Curriculum Committee Meeting—The Brafferton; 4-6 p. m. WSCGA Meeting-Gym; 6:30-7:30 p. m.

TUESDAY, February 28
Morning Prayer—Chapel; 7:35-8 a. m.
Pan-Hellenic Rushing—Houses; 4-6 p. m.
Delta Delta Delta Buffet—House; 5-6 p. m. Dormitory Council Meeting-Dodge Room; 5-6 p. m. Pan-Hellenic Council Meeting—Bodge Room; 5-6 p. m.
Delta Omicron Meeting—Dodge Room; 6:30 p. m.
Interfraternity Council—Lodges; 6:45 p. m.
Kappa Chi Kappa Meeting—Barrett West; 7-8 p. m. Pi Delta Phi Initiation—Chapman House; 7-9 p. m. Mermettes Meeting—Pool; 7-9:30 p. m. Flat Hat Meeting—7:30 p. m.

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WSCGA Sets Date For Coming Election Of Governing Heads

Six new officers of the Women's Student Cooperative Government Association will be elected Febru-

Barbara Luhring, President of WSCGA announced that nominations for President of the Executive Council, VicePresident of the Executive Council, Treasurer of the Executive Council and three members of the Honor Council will be made Monday, February

The Senior Nominating Committee will nominate two candidates for all offices except President of the Executive Council. Further nominations may be made by secret ballot at Monday's general meeting of the Association. The President of the Executive Council will be nominated exclusively by secret ballot at the nominating meeting.

Consecutive elections will be held on March 7 and 14 to complete the election of the Executive, Judicial and Honor Councils. Each election will follow a nominating meeting of the Association and the publication of the names of the candidates in the Flat Hat. There will be four candidates for each office. Formal initiation of the new officers will be held on April 16.

At the meeting on January 16 the arrival of an Intercom for Brown Dormitory which had been voted on by the Association was noted. Barbara Luhring stated last week that the Intercom has been installed. In addition she stated that a Bendix Clothes Dryer had been installed in Jeffer-

Speaker To Lecture On Music Tomorrow

Wagner, Schubert and Verdi step into the spotlight at William and Mary this week.

These and other exponents of romanticism in music will be discussed by Professor James H. Hall former Chairman of Music at Oberlin College, tomorrow night at 8 p. m. in a lecture entitled What's Right With Romantic Music. The lecture will be held in the Apollo Room of Phi Beta Kappa Hall.

In addition, Delta Omicron Music Fraternity will hear Professor Hall speak and conduct an informal discussion on music Thursday night in the Dodge Room.

Dr. Hall's diverse musical career enabled him to compose a number of anthems for church services, and he is the author of many articles and reviews in the field of musical history.

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(Continued from Page 1) ditorium floor to enlarge the seating capacity.

Rehearsal Space

The plans include a rehearsal room which will relieve the pressure on the stage area. An estimation made by Sherman during the use of the stage in the old Phi Beta Kappa Auditorium rerealed that the stage area there was used an average of ten hours floor for a fully-equipped telea day and that this fact contributed to the hazardous nature of the building. The rehearsal space may also be used for student-directed productions which are now performed in Wren Kitchen.

Opening into the auditorium will be a surrounding lobby which will open on both sides into landscaped courtyards. A lounge room on the first floor will be utilized for numerous social functions of various groups at the College. A speech, radio, theatre, general purpose and technical office will be located in the front of the

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Future plans of the College in- trants. clude placing a small concert hall on the site of the old Phi Beta test, which will be given on April Kappa auditorium to provide a 19, a student must intend to respace for student recitals, lectures quest deferment as a student, be and meetings, thereby relieving satisfactorily pursuing a fulltime the present use of Washington 100

lege will be radio broadcasting Tests On March 5

fication Test must submit an ap- near the end of March. plication by Monday, March 5, balcony on the second floor will 1956.

> The purpose of the testing program is to provide evidence for local Selective Service boards so deferments for military regis-

To be eligible to apply for the course of instruction and must not have previously taken the test. ****************

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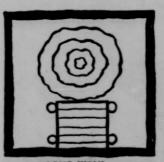


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Kirk States Importance Of Tradition While AddressingSymposium Opening Participates In Community Activities

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political tradition has not been dence and in the actual political as political parties and individual speaker explained that tradition documents such as the Constitu- rights. These institutions, says Kirk, have taken on the aspect of tradition not because of admin- into a political slogan. istrative control or force, but because of an attitude of popular approval.

Kirk was careful to avoid setting up the concept of tradition as an ideology. He noted that tra-

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tion and Declaration of Indepen- dition was not an abstraction, but a system of beliefs and customs was not related to political authority and should not be debased

> "We Americans have been governed by a body of traditions and not by ideas or abstract dogma," continued Kirk. Noting the healthiness of American tradition, he concluded that modern schemes of radical government would only succeed in breaking the stream of traditional continuity. Thus he proposed that tradition be used as a prudent, tempering force in the conditions of modern society. "A prudent social reformer," he emphasized, "will make his plans in consonance with tradition.

> At the conclusion of his talk, Kirk was asked if America was not actually more liberal and receptive to change than conservative and bound by tradition. In reply, the speaker noted that in the early period of its history, America, in comparison to the countries of Africa and Asia, was indeed liberal. He pointed out, however, that these latter countries have become fiercely radical while America has held on to its

W&M Physical Education Instructor

By Harry Miller

In addition to teaching physical education for 35 years, a William and Mary professor has exhibited outstanding leadership and organizational abilities in the commun-

Recognized by the town of Williamsburg as well as by prominent state and national organizations, Miss Martha E. Barksdale, associate professor of physical education, has maintained an extensive interest in local affairs.

At the present time, Miss Barksdale holds offices in three local groups. On the Williamsburg Community Council, a group composed of representatives from Williamsburg's civic-minded clubs, she serves as vice president. Playing an active role in Soroptimist International of Williamsburg, she was president of this service organization of professional women last year and now serves on the board of directors. She is also co-chairman of the Williamsburg Auxiliary for Patrick Henry Hospital, a group which she assisted in founding.

Organization Woman

Work with physical education and health organizations in this area has employed much of Miss



Miss Martha Barksdale

Barksdale's time. She has served as both secretary-treasurer and president of the Southern Association of Physical Education for College Women. She has also been president of the Virginia Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation and is now a member of the resolutions committee of the Southern branch.

During the summer recess, when most of her activities are at a slower pace, Miss Barksdale becomes a tour leader for the Brownell Travel Bureau. While in Europe in 1952, she attended the World Conference on Physical Education and Recreation in Helsinki, Finland. In connection with the College, she is a member of the committee on foreign students and foreign study.

Hockey Enthusiast

Miss Barksdale, still a field hockey enthusiast, is an active member of the Virginia Field Hockey Association.

Graduating from the College in 1921 with the first class of women, Miss Barksdale is an alumnus member of the Mortar Board and now serves as corresponding secretary of the Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.

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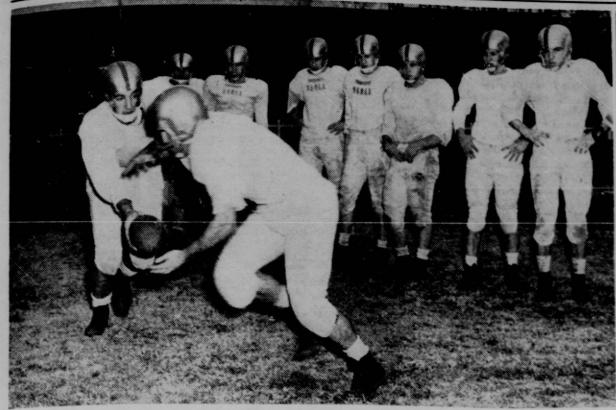
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Halfback Jack "Go Go" Yohe takes a handoff from Quarterback Tom Secules as tices gets under way on Reservation. Hopeful candidates look on from the background. Practice began last Thursday afternoon and the Alumni-Varsity game will climax sessions on March 10.

Spring Football Practice Commences; Replacements For Graduates Sought

By Paul Wiedenmann

With 43 men reporting for the Freeman began his fifth year as head coach of the William and Mary squad. He was faced with the difficult task of finding replacements for the vacancies left by graduates from the '55-56

Absent when the roll was taken were Bill Marfizo in the center position, Lou Corbett who played guard, ends Bill Riley and Jack Lewis, and Al Grieco who filled both the halfback and quarterback positions.

The men who will be most missed next season will be Bob Lusk who was named to the All-Southern Conference, Big Six, and All-American teams, and Doug Henley who starred in the fullback

Competing to fill Lusk's old position in the linebacker and tackle spots are John Tomlinson, Bill Hammack and Ross Hindmarsh. Operating on the other side of the line will be Ray Chiesa and Elliot Schaubach who was a regular for the Tribe last season.

Fullback Post Battle

Four men are battling for the fullback post vacated by Henley. Two halfbacks last season, Junior Duff and Jay Sanner are working in this position. Out to offer Bonfardin and Benny Rubal.

Another major problem facing Bill Carter and Carl Archer. Coach Freeman is to locate a quar-Tom Secules. Tom filled the post complete 20 practice sessions. as a freshman for the Indians last | The Spring practice will job again next year.

With Al Grieco gone, the most likely candidates appear to be Bob Hardage and Jim Smerczynski. Spring football practice last Jim is considered to be the passing Thursday afternoon, Coach Jackie threat while Hardage is a better runner and defensive player.

Sidwell, Yohe Back

Two lettermen last season, Charlie Sidwell and Jack Yohe are back to fill the halfback posts for the Big Green. Out to give the top two a run for the starting Edmonds, Smoky Sherman, Mike Chunta, Dick Rhodes and Bob Gilwig.

With the backfield well provided with able candidates, the team's success will depend upon the forward wall. Competition for all positions in the line is wide open.

There are six men currently working for a position in the starting line up when the Tribe begins its next season. They are John Brantley, Phil Colclough, Phil Secules, Denys Grant, Tom Kanas, and Lloyd Hicks.

The ends will be led by All-Southern Conference Walt Brodie. Other candidates for this position are John Makarczyk, a junior who didn't play last fall, Larry Peccatiello also a junior, and freshmen Ed Brusco and Dan Plummer.

Rush At Center The Indians will miss the services of Bill Marfizo who did an outstanding job as center on the late last squad. Bill Rush is the most surging Generals who have won them strong competition are Bob probable replacement for this position. Backing him up will be

Under NCAA regulations, Freeterback capable of backing up man will have 30 days in which to season, and is expected to do the the annual alumni-varsity game at Cary Field, March 10.

Yohe Elected President Of Varsity Club; Group To Sponsor Contest For Queen

William and Mary's Varsity Club recently elected Halfback Jack Yohe president of the club.

Yohe, a Columbia, Pa., junior, is captain of the 1956 Big Green

Other officers selected include Ray Chiesa, vice-president and Mike Miller, secretary-treasurer.

The club also made arrangements for its annual dance at last week's meeting.

A Queen will be crowned between halves of the basketball game Saturday night with Richmond. Students may vote for 16 candidates, who will be introduced Friday night at the Davidson game, by dropping money in bottles to be distributed around campus.

Jean Woodfield reigned as basketball Queen at last year's dance. Chiesa, a tackle on W&M's grid team, is from Blairsville, Pa., while Miller, a high hurdler, is

from Williamsport, Pa.

INDIANS DOWN TECH

Forward Jim Kaplan scorched the cords with 24 points last night as Coach Boyd Baird's Indians dampened Virginia Tech's Big Six aspirations with a 79-74 victory in Blow Gym.

The Indians took a 36-35 halftime lead, but fell behind the Blacksburg Gobblers by three points, with eight minutes

remaining. Kaplan, playing one of his best games of the season, broke through with a layup to give the Tribers a 61-60 lead which

they never relinquished. Captain Dick Savage bagged 18 points for the Indians, although the Gobbler's Bill Matthews canned 28 points for individual scoring honors.

The victory moved the Indians into fourth place in the Southern Conference with a 7-6 log.

Basketball Schedule Ends With Richmond This Week

Coach Boyd Baird's varsity basketball team will wind up its '55-56 regular season play this week. Wednesday night the Indians meet West Virginia at Morgantown; Friday Davidson plays here, and Saturday the Spiders of Richmond will appear on the court here in

The Tribe will be out to avenge the defeat which they suffered at the hands of the Mountaineers February 13 in Norfolk when they travel to the West Virginia campus. Their main objective will be to stop comedian "Hot Rod" Hundley who scored 38 points, 30 of which

came in the final 15 minutes in their last meeting

When the "Hot Rod" misses, there is six-ten Lloyd Sharrar and six-six Bob Miginnis under

the basket for the tip-in. Play Davidson Friday

On Friday evening the Indians will be back in Williamsburg to face Davidson. In their last encounter in North Carolina the Tribe was victorious 85-75.

Davidson has been an "up-anddown" team this season winning over Virginia Tech and Washingington and Lee while on the road Their star is Forward Robert Cobb. He has averaged 23 points per game thus far in the year, standing ninth in the nation in field goalshooting with a 51.5 per cent average. He is also 20th in the nation in rebounding with 15.2 per game.

Spider Invade Campus

Saturday evening will find the Tribe playing host to the Spiders from Richmond in a traditional grudge battle. In their last game which was played in Richmond the Tribe went down to defeat in what Coach Baird has termed "the worst game we have played all season. It was terrible all the

Commenting on the game this week end Coach Baird said that if the Indians play a good game either team could come out on top, although the experts will favor Richmond.

Men To Watch

The men to watch on the Spider squad will be Walt Lysaght, Kenny Daniel, and Ed Harrison. Lysaght and Daniel will be working out of the forward position while Harrison plays in the guard

Daniel and Lysaght got off to a poor start this season; however, their current action coupled with that of Ed Harrison, Richmond's best ball player, has sparked the late Spider surge.

With wins in these three games the Tribe would finish third in the Conference in a year which for the Indians was supposed to be one of

THE FLAT HAT SPORTS

nomination are Bob Thomas, Dave Indians Take On Late Season Slump; Fall Prey To WV, GW, W&L Quintets

By Pat Jacobs

The course of the last three cage tilts has seen the Indians of William and Mary slump badly. In the George Washington and Washington and Lee contests, the hoopsters managed to average but 63 points, far below the 80 and 90 point showings produced at the start of the season.

Last Saturday the Indians met the W&L Generals at Lexington. Dom Flora, a six-two guard, tallied 37 points in the 70-57 upsetting of the Indians. Despite the loss of two of his teammates, Flora held his team together and at the contest. same time captured the season's individual scoring honors for a W&L player. The halftime score in the Southern Conference.

five of their last six outings.

1956 Football Schedule

Williamsburg

6-Boston University at

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26-George Washington at

burg, Va.

20-West Virginia at

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13-Virginia Tech at Blacks-

Williamsburg (Home-

Washington, D. C.,

-Virginia Military at a

10-Army at West Point,

17-Rutgers at New Bruns-

22-Richmond at Richmond,

wick, N. J.

site to be determined

-Navy at Annapolis, Md.

22-Wake Forest at

September

In the third quarter, the Indians came storming back from a 10-point deficit to tie the score at 48-48. Then Flora and company went on a wild scoring spree which netted them 16 points, while the bewildered Indians were limited to two, thus putting the icing on the cake.

Valentine's Day found the Indians and the George Washington Colonials coming together for the second time also. The result was the same, this time the Indians taking the short end of an 81-69

The victory moved GW into a first place tie with West Virginia

The Colonials won the game at (Continued on Page 9)

Cindermen Take Second In SC Meet; Fillman Leads Meet As High Scorer

By Dave Little

The William and Mary track team, which finished in sixth place in last year's Southern Conference indoor track meet, showed surprising strength in beating out last year's champion, Virginia Military, for second place in this year's contest held Saturday at the Virginia Military Fieldhouse in Lexington.

Virginia Tech, with its depth paying off, won the exciting meet by making off with two first places and three second places in the last five events.

At that point the Indians and Tech were staging a bitter battle, each team holding the lead by a few points at different times in the meet, until the last five events when Tech pulled away.

Tech Scores 41

Virginia Tech's total score was 41 points. William and Mary had 31; Virginia Military, 21; Richmond, 14; West Virginia 131/2; Davidson, 9, and George Washington, 3. Washington and Lee failed to score.

Walt Fillman, the Indian's brilliant dashman, was high scorer for the William and Mary team and for the meet.

The junior speedster took first in the 60-yard dash and 70-yard low hurdles, third in the broad

jump, and ran the last lap of the mile relay for a total of 123/4 points.

The only other double winner in the meet was Virginia Military's Dave Pitkethly, who won the mile and two-mile runs.

Bales Takes High Jump The other first place for William and Mary was taken by Bob Bales, who won the high jump. Other

Walt "Shane" Fillman

places for the Indian team were Neil Hock, third in the 440 event, George Royer, third in the 880 event, Wes Gates, second in the 70-yard high hurdles, and Bob DeTombe, who took third in the mile and two-mile runs.

No Records Shattered

No new records were set in this meet. Dave Tork, a sophomore from West Virginia, name the closest to setting a new mark in winning the pole vault with a jump of 13 feet, 21/4 inches, only one inch off the standing record set in 1932.

William and Mary's first outdoor meet is March 27 against Hampton-Sydney at Death Valley. The first meet at Cary Field will be held on April 11 against East Carolina College.

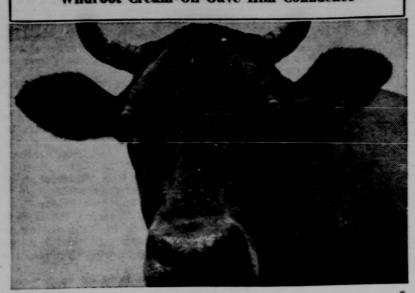
Other meets here on the Reservation include Virginia Military on April 18 and Washington and Lee on April 21.

The trackmen will take the roads for meets with Virginia Tech

on April 24; and Richmond on In outside competition, the

trackmen will participate in the Penn Relays on April 27 and 28. After the regular season, the Tribers will journey to Blacksburg to take part in the Southern Conference meet.

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Sport Staff Tryouts

The "Flat Hat" sports staff will hold tryouts for additional writers Tuesday at 6:30 p. m. in Marshall-Wythe 322.

Students who have written high school sports or who are interested in College sports are urged to attend tryouts.

The sports staff, recently lost two of its most prolific writers, and will need writers to help cover baseball, tennis, golf and track this Spring.

Sports Editor Al Ferguson, in announcing tryouts, explained that "you don't have to be an English major to tryout for the staff."

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DRUM BEATS

By Al Ferguson

William and Mary has not clashed with the University of Virginia William and Mary has not classic sports since 1952. Last week a in football or other intercollegiate sports since 1952. Last week a in football or other intercollegate region to schedule the Indians rumor noted that the Cavaliers were eager to schedule the Indians

Coach Jackie Freeman, beginning his fifth year at the helm of the Big Green, this week declared the rumor false.

Now perhaps there are a number of students on the Reservation who wonder: "Why don't we play Virginia?"

The explanation is quite simple.

The explanation is quite simple. After the two colleges met in 1952, a game was scheduled for the following year.

In the meantime, however, Virginia schedulers were informed by University officials that the Cavaliers could play only nine game in 1953. Virginia decided to drop William and Mary from its

Future attempts to schedule the Cavaliers proved futile. Virginia, it seems, took the attitude that "we'll play you at our convenience." The Cava-

liers further felt that any future competition should be in larger cities.

Williamsburg, with its 6,735 inhabitants, was too small for Virginia.

Coach Freeman explained that "we tried to make arrangements Coach Freeman explained that "we tried to make arrangements to play Virginia in a series of games. We were willing to accept a play whereby we could play them once every two or three years. We did, however, want something positive."

Virginia, he said, was unwilling to play the Indians colored to the continuous continuous was willing to play the Indians colored to the Indians colored to

lottesville contingent was willing to play the Indians only when and where it was most convenient for them. This obviously, and rightly,

where it was most convenient for them. This obviously, and rightly, severed football competition between the two schools.

The conflict immediately spread to other sports. Coach Freeman asserted that "we felt that if we weren't good enough to play them (Virginia) in football, then we weren't good enough to meet them in any other intercollegiate sport."

In 1956 — three years after the conflict.

In 1956 — three years after the conflict and with a new football coach at Charlottesville - there was some speculation that competition might be resumed.

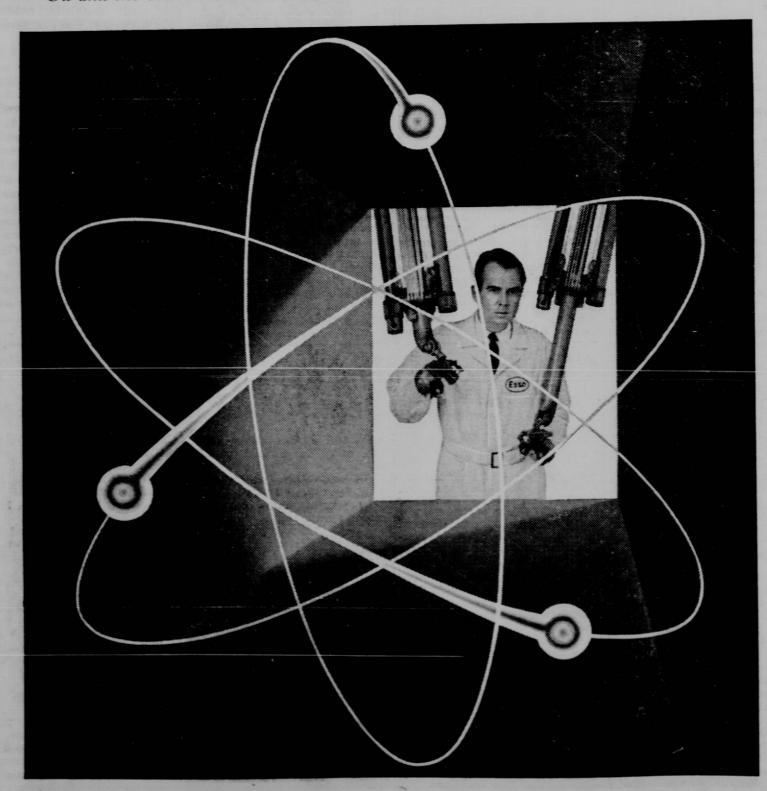
Coach Freeman, commenting this week, said that "we'd like to play Virginia . . . but until some definite policy can be formulated, we'll definitely not resume competition."

The possibility of William and Mary and Virginia clashing in 1957 is preposterous. The 1957 schedule has been completed (see page 7) and just for the record, seven games have been scheduled for 1958. Yes, Virginia, we'll play

you, but not entirely on your own terms.

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Rifle Warriors Commence Firing

William and Mary recently annexed its seventh varsity sport when the former ROTC rifle team was revamped and made a regular Southern Conference contender. A telegram from Virginia Military cancelled the initial match of the newly formed Warriors, but the team will get action underway Friday against Washington and Lee's Generals.

After the Friday match, the 15man team will journey to The Citadel to fire in the Southern Conference match.

Coached by M/Sgt. Murphy Davis, the local Warriors are under the general supervision of Capt. Earl W. Fuqua. The team is made up of both ROTC cadets and non-cadets.

This department is happy to see the team recognized as a varsity sport and wishes the team smooth sailing in the sometimes bumpy Southern Conference.

RUMOR OF THE WEEK: It is strongly believed that Lynchburg will be the scene of battle between William and Mary's gridders and the Keydets of Virginia Military on November 3. William and Mary will play three home games in a ten-game schedule.



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By Cliff Becker

Sigma Pi 56-40

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Sigma Pi 50-30

Later on in the week Sigma Pi met SAE and this time Sigma Pi romped, outscoring SAE by twen-

Lambda Chi 60-43

In the Lambda Chi-Pi Lamb game, Lambda Chi took Pi Lamb by seventeen points. Bob "Smitty" Smith showed himself to be one of the most dependable Lambda Chi regulars during this game. Lambda Chi 53-35

In their next encounter Lambda Chi downed a tall Kappa Sig

two weeks of play completed with these two victories after its | The Drunken Rounders came Lambda Chi and Sigma Pi are SAE defeat. leading the league with 3-0 rec-

SAE 55-42

SAE beat Phi Tau in a hard fought battle. The final buzzer saw SAE out in front with a thirteen point lead and so making a good come back after their Sigma

KA 60-50

KA went on to get another one for the win column by taking a hard fighting Pi Lamb team.

KA 65-33

Later on in the week KA met the Theta Delt team. With a good points. showing of offensive power they wrapped up this game with a team. The Kappa Sig's were out- thirty-two point lead. KA has scored by eighteen points. With placed itself back in the running

Fall Prey To WV, GW, W&L Quintets ged his shoulders and proceeded to

Indians Take On Late Season Slump;

(Continued from Page 7) the foul line as W&M outscored twirl the ball on his finger and them from the floor, 26-25. Twenty-two fouls were called against led the GW scoring with 27 points followed by Joe Petcavich with 25. The lead moved back-and-forth until the middle of the second half, when the Colonials took a 55-52 command, never to relinquish it. Savage Paces Losers

Dick Savage paced the losers with 24 points. Holup cashed in 13 free throws and Petcavish 11, the two of them accounting for more fouls than the Indians even attempted.

One week ago yesterday the Indians came to grips with the West Virginia Mountaineers at Municipal Auditorium in Norfolk. In spite of the 105-90 whipping the Indians absorbed it was probably one of their finest showings this season.

Down by 10 points early in the game, they quickly erased the margin and went on to take a 44-43 half time lead. However in the second period, the fabulous "Hot Rod" Hundley, held to six points in the first half, cracked loose for 32. Despite Hundley's deadly hook and one-handed jump shot, the Indians remained within three points of the high flying Mounties until late in the game when West Virginia threw everything but the cheerleaders into the basket.

Again, it was the all-important foul shot which set the Indians down. Matched from the floor, the Mounties converted 27 of 41 free throws, more than twice the number salvaged by the Indians. Each team hit on 39 field goal attempts.

Starts Clowning Tactics After West Virginia had built substantial lead, the "Hot went into action. His clowning, for which he is particularly famous, gained him the acclaim of the crowd. When the officials frowned upon his wish to drop kick a foul shot, he merely shrug-Amminimizarian manaminimizarian manamini

then sock it toward the hoop. The victory gave the Mounthe Indians as they tried to block taineers a 9-2 Conference record Colonial scoring drives. Joe Holup with but one league game left to be played-this against the In-

dians on Friday.

Kappa Sig 49-44

After taking a defeat from Lambda Chi, Kappa Sig upset PiKA in a nip-and-tuck battle. This win gave Kappa Sig a 2-1 record to place them in the four way tie for third place.

PiKA 55-47

from Kappa Sig and beat a Sigma Nu team.

Sigma Nu 68-30

Sigma Nu romped over a winless Phi Tau team. At the close of the game Sigma Nu had outscored Phi Tau by thirty one Kappa Swiggers 41-30

The Little Lambs started this game by taking an early twelve point lead. After that they fell back steadily to lose by eleven points to the Kappa Swiggers.

Faculty 45-35 The Faculty beat the Drunken Rounders by a ten point margin, during their hard fought battle. Drunken Rounders 50-38.

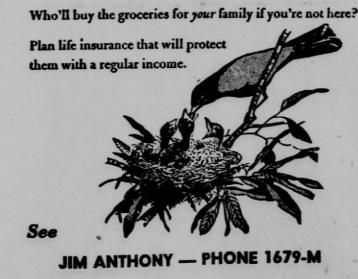
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back in their next match to take the Purple Hord by twelve points.

Arabs 73-28

In the Independant League the Arabs rolled over the Little Lambs. The sharp shooting Arabs outscored the Lambs by fortyfive points.

The Arabs also romped over PiKA recovered from its defeat the Sigma Roses. In this game the deadly set shooting of Al Lau added to their creditable score.

Frat League Standings

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	Lambda Chi	3		1.000
	Sigma Pi			
1	Kappa Sig	2	1	.667
Į	PiKa	2	1	.667
1	SAE	2	1	.667
	KA	2	1	.667
i	Sigma Nu	1	2	.33
-	Pi Lamb		3	.00
	Phi Tau		3	.00
	Theta Delt		3	.00



THE CARE AND FEEDING OF ROOM-MATES

Today we take up room-mates, a delightful phenomenon of American college life. Having a room-mate is not only heaps of fun; it is also very educational, for the proper study of mankind is man, and there is no better way to learn the dreams and drives of another human being than to share a room with him.

This being the case, it is wise not to keep the same room-mate too long, because the more room-mates you have, the more you will know about the dreams and drives of human beings. And that's what we're all after, isn't it?

So try to change room-mates as often as you can. A recent study made by Sigafoos of Michigan State shows that the best interval for changing room-mates is every four hours.

Now let us discuss how to go about choosing a room-mate. Most counselors agree that the most important thing to look for in

room-mates is that they be people of regular habits. This, I say, is arrant nonsense. What if one of their regular habits happens to be beating a great gong from midnight to three a.m.? Or growing cultures in the tooth glass? Or reciting the Articles of War? Or peanut brittle?

Regular habits indeed! I say that beyond quibble, far and away the most important quality in room-mates is that they be exactly your size. Otherwise you will have to have their clothes altered to fit you, which can be a considerable nuisance. In fact, it is sometimes flatly impossible. I recollect one time I roomed with a man named Tremblatt Osage who was just

under seven feet tall and weighed nearly four hundred pounds. There wasn't a blessed thing I could use in his entire wardrobeuntil one night when I was invited to a masquerade party. I cut one leg off a pair of Tremblatt's trousers, jumped into it, sewed up both ends and went to the party as a bolster. (Incidentally, I took second prize. First prize went to a girl named Antenna Wilkins who poured molasses over her head and went as a candied apple.)

But I digress. Let us get back to the qualities that make desirable room-mates. Not the least of these is the cigarettes they

smoke. When we borrow cigarettes, do we want them to be harsh, shoddy, and disdainful of our palates? Certainly not! What, then, do we want them to be? Why, we want them to be gentle, delicately-reared, and designed to suit the tempo of today's broader, easier life! And what cigarette is gentle, delicately-reared, and designed to suit the tempo of today's broader, easier life? Why, Philip Morris, of corris!

Change room-

mates every

(I'll bet you knew it all the time!)
To go on. In selecting a room-mate, take great pains to find someone who will wear well, whom you'd like to keep as a permanent friend. Many of history's great friendships first started in college. Are you aware, for example. of the remarkable fact that Johnson and Boswell were room-mates at Oxford in 1712? What makes this fact so remarkable is that in 1712 Johnson was only three years old and Boswell had not been born yet. But, of course, children matured much earlier in these days. Take Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart who wrote his first symphony at the

age of four. Or Titian, who painted his first masterpiece at five. Or Hans Otto McGrath, who was in many ways the most remarkable of all; he was appointed chief of the Copenhagen police

department at the age of six!

(It must be admitted, however, that the appointment was less than a success. Criminals roamed the city, robbing and looting at will. They knew young McGrath would never pursue them; he was not allowed to cross the street.)

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Westhampton Beats Squaws 45-40 Barrett Plays Jefferson In Finals Georgetown Defeats Tankmen 52-36

By Sandie Longfellow

Saturday afternoon the William and Mary girls' varsity basketball team lost to the Westhampton girls 45-40

Junior Jan Charbonnet, who bagged 16 markers, led the Squaws. Judy Fruland, freshman forward who has been a big asset to Coach Martha Barksdale's girls this year, netted 15 points.

The Indian maids took the lead early in the game, holding an 11 point advantage at the half. Guards Carol Simmerman, Alice Matthews and Melissa Smith held the Westhampton girls to only two points during the first quarter, as the forwards tallied 11 points for William and Mary.

Westhampton, however, outscored the Squaws in the last half the victors.

the closing minutes of the final quarter when Westhampton pulled ahead to score their victory.

Following the varsity game, the JV's took the floor. Westhampton again came out on top 33-27.

Tourney Reaches Finals

The hotly-contested intramural basketball tou-nament has reached its final stares. The past week has been crowded with games as the girls fought for the top places

in the tournament. On February 14, Barrett defeated Alpha Chi 31-23. Ginny Lipps tallied 26 of her team's 31 points and was high scorer for the game. The same night, Pi Phi beat Theta 36-22 in a well-played contest. Judy Bell and Ginny Wachob each scored 14 points for

Gamma Phi crushed Kappa the same night 24-9 in a tilt that team beat a weak and underlooked at the beginning as if it manned Lynchburg College Wedwould be very close. Gamma Phi nesday afternoon by a score of led by only one point, 8-7, at the 66-17. half. Gamma Phi's guards held their opponents to only one field goal in the second half while the forwards scored the remaining 16

On February 17, Kappa and Chi O met in a rather slow game that ended with Chi O coming out on top 13-9. Pat Clark, Chi O's little center, and Mary Broaddus each scored six points to lead the meager scoring.

Finals Set Tonight

After the games were over, the standings were tabulated to show that, among the first teams, Jefferson led League A, and Barrett emerged in the top berth of League B. Tonight at 7:30 these two teams will meet for the final game and the championship. Chandler and Alpha Chi, who came out second in the two leagues, will Hundley placing third. Jan Heyplay the consolation game following the championship.

In the second team standings, again Barrett and Jefferson led the two leagues. Wednesday night, February 22, they will play for the second team championship. Pi Phi and Chi O, who came in second in their leagues, play the same night for third place.

W&M Swimmers Down Lynchburg:

William and Mary opened up scoring and took first place in all the events except one.

The Medley relay was won by Carl Wannen, John Taiver and Sid Mook of William and Mary. Stu Sell and Maury Tomlinson placed first and second respectivetaking third.

The 50 yard dash was taken by Jeff Dixon, W&M. Bill Whitmore and Rod Hundley placed second and third respectively for Lynchburg. John Tarver took the individual medley for W&M and Ben Mackey placed second for Lynchburg.

Share Diving Honors

Don Dew and Joe Watson took the diving honors for W&M with koop won the 100 yard freestyle and Bruce Finch placed second for W&M

Hundley took Lynchburg's only first in the 200 yard backstroke with Carl Wannen and Stu Sell placing second and third respectively. Finch and Dixon placed first and second for W&M in the 440 freestyle with Ben Rose third

The William and Mary swim for Lynchburg. Tomlinson and Mook garnered the first two places for W&M.

The 400 yard relay was won by W&M's Stu Sell, John Tarver, Joe Watson and Don Dew.

Fall To Georgetown

Meanwhile the William and Mary swimming team fell prey to a powerful Georgetown team Friday afternoon, 52-36.

Georgetown started the meet off by winning the 300 yard medley ly in the 220 freestyle for W&M, relay with a team composed of with Jack Rhodes of Lynchburg Denny Trigo, Mike Freeman and Ron Wardell. Pat Kelly won the 220 yard freestyle for Georgetown with Stu Sell and Bruce Finch of W&M coming in second and third.

The 50 yard dash was declared a dead heat between Fritz Trindler of W&M and Fitz Corr of Georgetown. Third place went to Jan Heykoop, W&M. Freeman and White took first and third places respectively for Georgetown in the 200 yard individual medley race.

First place in the diving competition went to Ed Zurmuhlen of Georgetown with Don Dew and Joe Watson placing second and third. The 100 yard freestyle was won by Wardell of Georgetown, Trindler of W&M, second, and Hugh McGrath, Georgetown third.

Georgetown's Trigo and White took first and second in the 200 vard backstroke race with Sid Mook of W&M placing third. Kelly of Georgetown won the 440 freestyle race with Stu Sell and Maury Tomlinson placing second and third for W&M.

W&M Jayvees Top Fishburne By 87-81

Freshman Bob Tabscott hit the cords for 28 points Friday night to lead the William and Mary Jayvees to a 87-81 conquest of Fishburne Military Academy.

Bernie Goldstein, six-seven center for the "Baby Indians," tossed in 22 markers as the Indians outscored the visiting Cadets in every period except the final stanza, when Fishburne almost closed the 14 point gap that the Baby Tribers had opened.

Lead At Halftime

At intermission, William and Mary led the Cadets 45-34 and increased the advantage to 73-59 after a 28-point third period.

Ray Varga and Dom Aleso pitched in 12 points each and Bill McCary canned eight points. The victory gave the Baby Indians a clean cage log of 2-0 for the sea-

The victorious Tribers hit from the floor 34 times, as did the visitors, but the Indians made good 19 of 29 from the gratis line to outdistance the visitors.

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The Flat Hat' Selection Of Campus Coed Of The Week Program Today Terminates



of the Week is chosen by the male editors of the "Flat Hat" staff. Suggestions may be put in the "Flat Hat" box in the Registrar's Office.

Melissa Smith, our Coed of the Week, a tall, slender, dark-haired blue-eyed, sophomore comes to William and Mary from Brewster, New York. Melissa, a probable government major, is a member of Alpha Chi Omega social sorority, and, like many coeds, she lists playing bridge and dancing as her spare time activities.

Quite athletically minded, Melissa enjoys swimming and here, as a carry-over of four years in high school, she plays fullback in varsity hockey and guard" in varsity basketball.

Last summer Melissa worked as a waitress in Brewster and found the endeavor so successful that this year she has acquired a job as a hostess at Thiemes Dining-

Editor's Note: Each week the Coed Student Government Week of the Week is shown by the male Student

(Continued from Page 1) sions of the Career Day program. open to them. Nineteen departments of the college participated in discussion with students of possible vocations and fields of concentration in government week program, pre-

inform students of the overall held Saturday night.

characteristics of the various fields

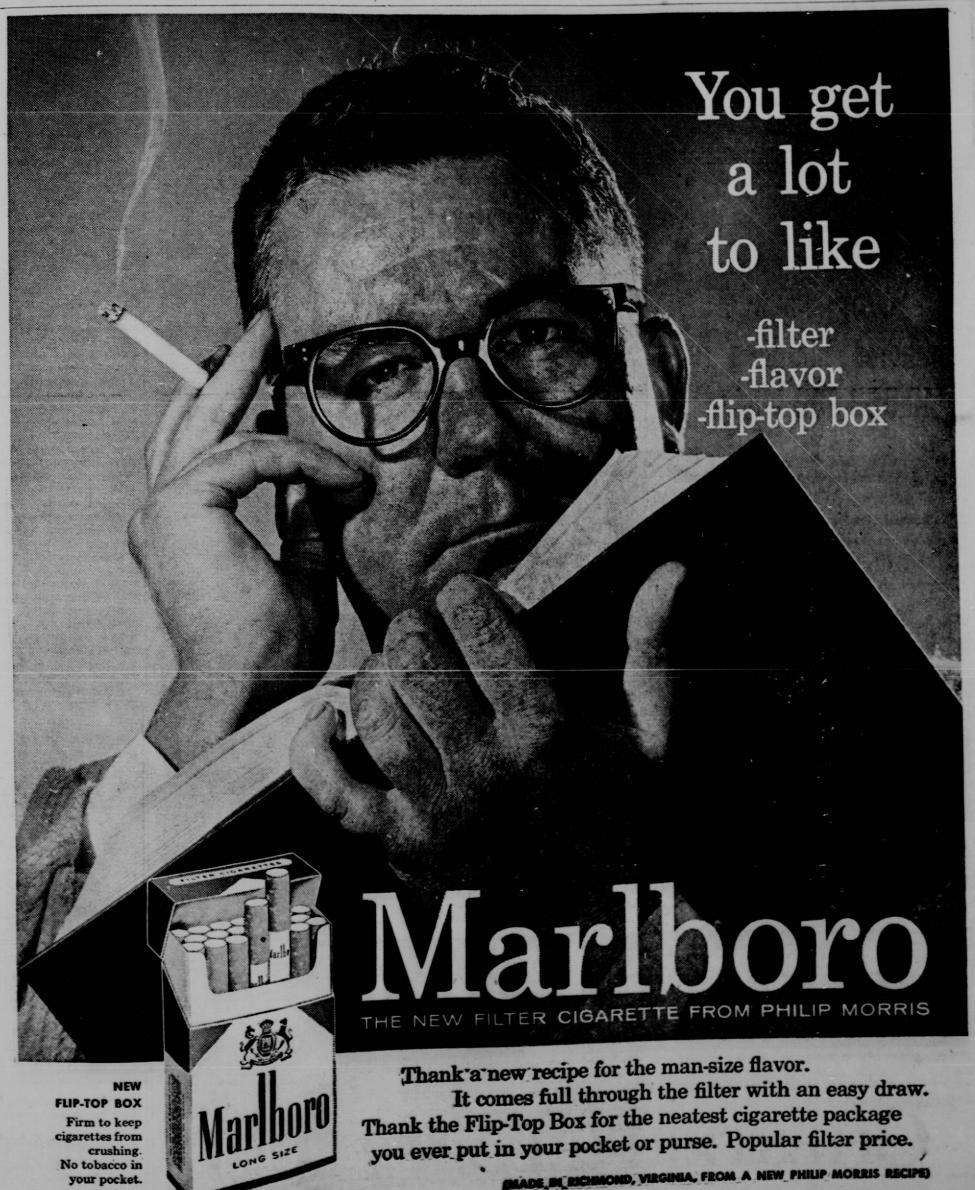
Stan Rubin and his Tigertown Five, nationally known jazz combo, as another part of the student A panel discussion by the heads afternoon. A Valentine Dance, of the College divisions was con- featuring Palmer Jenkins and his ducted at the start of the day to orchestra from Fort Eustis was

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tumes, design, staging and publicity committees.

The Colonial Festival, part of the Spring Finals dance week end, is patterned after the 18th century St. George Day Fairs. The colonial holiday dates back to 1722 when provisions for the fair were included in the charter for the on a list of outstanding books of City of Williamsburg.

The 1956 Colonial Festival perhaps one of the most unusual lished each January by the Clevecollege spring-time festivals will be held in the Wren Yard Saturday afternoon.

-all based on the merrymaking events held in the 18th centuryinclude strolling quartets and costumed madrigal groups. A band presently in use as a textbook at concert by a nationally recogniz- the College for personnel probed dance orchestra will also be lems, a business administration

Contests in pie-eating, yawning and grinning, weight lifting, gymnastics, cudgeling, fencing, penny pitching and bowling on the green will enliven the Festival, as will a greased pig, greased pole and dart throwing contests. Appropriate colonial prizes will be awarded to all contest winners.

The Belle-of-the-Green, elected prior to the Festival by a campus-wide vote, will be crowned on

W&M Professor Of Busines Writes

The Personnel Audit and Approval, a book by Thomas J. Luck, professor of business administration, has been named by the Cleveland Public Library as one of the three outstanding books on personnel management to appear during 1955.

Dr. Luck's book was included 1955 in The Public Information News, an annual bulletin publand Public Library.

Designed for use as a textbook and as a reference for business Current plans for the Festival executives, The Personnel Audit and Approval was published by McGraw-Hill Publishing Company in October, 1955. The book is course.

> The Public Information News is an annual publication, put out by the Cleveland Public Library, to list outstanding books of the year.

> Dr. Luck, professor of business administration at William and Mary since 1954, received his B.S. degree from Butler University, his M.A. from Northwestern University, and his Ph.D. from Indiana University.

> A former University of Florida professor and pusiness consultant Dr. Luck has taught at Northwest-



Dr. Thomas J. Luck

ern University and Indiana Uni-

As the recipient of an industrial fellowship with the E. I. duPont de Nemours Company, he studied methods of manufacturing and the general organization of the company. He has also served as a consultant with the Cadillac Motor Car Division of the General Motors Corporation and as an associate with Management Associates, Inc., a management consulting firm in West Palm Beach,

Dr. Luck has been head of the department of business administration since 1955.

W&M Obtains Check

William Kersey, president of the Richmond College student body, sent a check to Hike Abdella on February 10, for the full amount of a fraternity plaque and flag found missing from the William and Mary Campus.

This presentation climaxed a series of relations, between the University of Richmond and William and Mary which began last Thanksgiving.

In the fall, the portrait of Queen Mary in Marshall-Wythe was taken by Richmond students while students from William and Mary removed several items from a Richmond fraternity house. Later, Kersey and Abdella returned

the articles. Abdella recently notified Kersey of a flag and plaque missing from a fraternity house here, and Kersey checked on the Richmond campus for the location of the items. Although unable to ascertain the guilt of any Richmond student, he mailed a check for the articles to maximize good relations between the two colleges.



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